the meather to-day will be clear.

same weather in the afternoon.

Y.M. C. A.'S OF THE UNITED STATES AND BRITISH PROVINCES.

chapter over denominational tenetsin fraternal intercourse, exnces, compare views, devise catch a holy enthusiasm which entry to their scattered fields, and eir common Redeemer.

sil George Williams organized, in the first Y. M. C. A. which ever exenuperated then the idea upon v have since worked-viz., "to e Christian effort of Christian to reach and save those of their his percention on this continent was

all led to the first international convenwas located in Washington, section; and the organization con-" war between the States." In 1860 oven ion net in New Orleans, and During the war the young men were in

At the North several attempts and it was not until 1866, at Albany. work was fairly inaugurated again. there was no attempt at a gene-Contederate armies, and did a beinging their comrades to up in the faith professed them. Many of these ashad respectable libraries, kept up mized Bude classes, conducted exat which many a poor fellow them expressed it) "taught ! God's word and write to his wife,' were taught the classic ber mathematics, and did a general Christian benevolence among their es, and even the destitute poor at association of Wilcox's old un brigade had a sermon of one of plains (Rev. J. J. D. Renfree) printed orm and distributed among their home, and a number of the assous followed in a movement which was initiated by the association of Harris's tend to our guests an appropriate welcome, ship brigade, and deserves to be writour the most self-denying Christian which the world's history affords. In winter of 1861, when our army along the median was on starvation rations, these to resolved to fast one day every week

But these army associations, of course, melted away with the dissolution of the attales, and association work has been lan-

isiting various sections in the interest of on work, and the progress has been

Hillsbered 120 associations; now the names ing fund and been partly raised; now we rece in 48 buildings, worth \$2,000,000, and minus, which already amount to over

hali a million. The report of the committee this year will

active members of associations in cooperathat and correspondence with this general

CHURCHES. minumion with some evangelical church. an address of welcome delivered before decorations, was striking, and in addition River Improvement bonds. New York State Convention last Octo- each grave was neatly turied and had its her by Rev. E. G. Thurber that the follow-

mg (xiract ts given :

maketh increase of the body unto the edity- case of Aller Johnson, for an escape, an additional term of one year was awarded. Same ing of itself in love.'

# DAILY DISPATCHA

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"There are talents buried, powers unused,

this condition may be owing in part to indi-

about by an undefined and vague perception

ers into industrious forces. You have en-

listed laymen to speak of Christ to those

who are far removed from the ministrations

of the sanctuary, and you have supplemented

the labor of an already over-taxed ministry.

And, may I say it, you are teaching ministers

some lessons in practical talk to men. Mr.

D. L. Moody is an exponent of the work of

"There have been some misunderstand-

"'Tis true, 'tis true 'tis pity, And pity 'tis 'tis true.'

"But you have been a stimulus, and when

in a tender spirit we have been brought near

our common Saviour, we have appreciated

each other, as the Scotch ministry are ap-

preciating Moody, and the churches of Mas-

"The gospel is the ball, but you must have

firearms of various kinds for different work

powder to give power to ball and gun. If a

nan shoots a robber with a pistol I will not

upbraid him that he did not use a cannon,

though that would be better against a fort.

work and saving the world, and that the as-

sociations are in conflict with this idea; but

when the Church desires to carry on work

board of missions, adding to her instrumen-

Christian literature, she organizes a denomi-

union board, such as the Tract Society, and

circulate Bibles, she organizes the Bible So-

ciety. And what are these associations but

organized boards for the Church to act in a

united capacity in another direction? It is

"I find that one of the resolutions adopted

"Resolved, That we consider it the

having prior claim upon their sympathies

tions in our land you are belping the Church

"You are giving us practical methods,

RICHMOND'S WELCOME.

to-night, at the Second Baptist church, ex-

but it may not be out of place to tell them

now that they will find a cordial greeting in

the homes of our people and a warm place

poverty is not able to dispense the lavish

hospitality of palmier days, she can and will

say to all who come on so blessed a mission :

have as freely as it is cordially offered."

ner Seventh and Grace streets.

the hotels and boarding-houses.

to the appearance of the cemetery.

nibus to convey them to the cemetery.

tention keeps green the soldiers' graves.

The ladies of the Association are under

secretary and treasurer of the Association,

Main streets.

in the city.

Nintb.

"Our gates are wide open. Come in! Make

Reception at 91 o'clock P. M., at Associa-

The Business-Meetings of the Convention

DELEGATES TO THE Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION

will be held at the Second Baptist church.

in their hearts. And if Richmond in her

Our distinguished citizen Judge Ould will

life and work of our country.

and efforts.

the board of missions for young men.

at a general convention reads as follows:

"It has been said that the Church is the

sachusetts the labors of K. A. Burnell.

Young Men's Christian Associations.

ings that have brought on heartburn.

together in unity.'

RICHMOND, VA., WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 26, 1875.

modious building in New York that the late | THE JAMES RIVER IMPROVEMENT. sessions of that ever-memorable convention INTERESTING REPORT OF THE JOINT COMof the Evangelical Alliance was held -- a gathering portraying that beautiful spirit of MITTEE OF THE CITY COUNCIL. which the psaimist says: 'Behold, how

good and pleasant it is for brethren to dwell Present Condition of the River, &c. "You are also helping to solve the pro-

The joint Committee of the City Council on the Improvement of James River have blem of lay activity and lay preaching-a question which has been one of long and prepared a report, which will probably be to \$310,240, upon which insurance to the anxious interest to the Church-- How to made to the Council at its next meeting. The amount of \$180,025.19 was paid. This loss organize and employ its forces.' The Church committee say that in 1860 it was scarcely possible to bring to our wharves vessels and is the result of the burning of the large who, for want of something better do, holds drawing more than 10} feet of water? After flouring mills of Messrs. Haxall, Crenshaw his right arm in a rigid position until it is the end of the war the river was filled with & Co., where the loss in one building alone sunken wrecks and artificial obstructions was \$274,000. This fire occurred the 4th of that made access to the city difficult and dan- April at 8:45 P.M., while the mill was at men of great capability inactive; and while gerous. To-day we have an unobstructed work. outlet to the sea, with 14 feet of water to the vidual indisposition, it has also been brought | wharves of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, and 131 feet to the wharves below Gillie's creek at Rocketts, and 12 feet small loss for this city." of many ways in which earnest men may be to our dock, with the fact, asserted and deuseful. You have pointed out methods of work, you have enlisted the sympathies of monstrated by engineering skill, that 18 feet inactive Christians and converted their pow-

of water is easily obtainable. To an intelligent business-man these simple facts are sufficient to demand thoughtful attention to their effect on the future progress and prosperity of our city. To accomplish the results thus far obtained the city has expended \$250,000; and regular annual priated by the city a large amount has been which it is now the fortunate possessor, and use of these appliances for this work demands at this moment your thoughtful considera-

We may safely assume in considering this question that the Government of the United States, acting on its established and wellknown policy, having begun and demonstrated the feasibility of the improvement of our river, will continue its annual appropriations until the results certified by its enin the service; and then you must have the gineers as attainable are accomplished and our river becomes that great highway of them by Judge Guigon at the April term of

eighteen feet would insure. the Council are aware that during the past the Hustings Court in the premises, and divinely appointed agency for Christian your committee with the officers of the among the heathen, she organizes a foreign the burden of expense of the river improve- rule until the next term of the court, being ment, having simply furnished and kept in satisfied of the stipulations made in the antalities. When she desires to disseminate a repair the machinery which has been worked swer to erect a sufficient jul, &c. at the expense of the Government appronational board of publication, or unites in a priations. Under the impression that this arrangement would continue, the Council apemploys cooperation. When she desires to propriated only \$8,000 for the river improvement this year, that being the sum necessary to keep the machinery in proper repair and to maintain the organization. But the work has reached such a point in its progress that it has become necessary for the United States engineers to terminate the existing arrangements, and expend the \$50,000 appropriated by the Government for this year under defi-

bounden duty of the members of all Young nite contracts. The work proposed to be done during this Men's Christian Associations to hold their year by the United States engineers is as folduties and obligations to their respective churches and to the services of the same as

First. The Dutch Gap canal, having been demonstrated to be feasible and available, is by the largest steamers visiting our port. Second. It is proposed to cut a channel on the north side of the river from Gillie's creek

and the quickening pulse of the Church in to the wharves of the Chesapeake and Ohio many places, coming through your instru- Railroad Company, so that the fourteen feet mentality, is in itself the endorsement of of water available below may be brought to day, very much indisposed. He will not your work. We hail you, then, as of us and the dock. Third. Goode's rock, which stands in with us. We need your inspiration in our

city. Your prayers, your words, and your mid-channel, and has been a serious obstacle work, we welcome. We believe our homes to navigation, is to be removed. Fourth. The system of dyking having been shall go up on the wings of a stronger faith. river, and demonstrated by the recent fresh-We welcome your speech and influence to ets to be of great benefit in maintaining the our young men, whom we hold dear, and for depths of water obtained, is to be extended

whose Christian manhood we labor and pray. and improved. Advertisements have already been issued "In the pressure of the hand, in the kind words of greeting, and in the sympathy of by the United States for proposals for earryour hearts, we trust you will find your wel- ing out these objects; and it is worthy of come; and our prayers shall be that the Holy special notice that all of these improvements are to be made on the basis of eighteen feet Spirit may inspire and guide our deliberations to the giory of God and the good of of water as the final result.

To accomplish this result, which will within the next eight months produce great and marked benefit to the trade of the city, will require the whole of the appropriation made by the Government; and it rests with the Council what the city of Richmond will do in behalf of its own interests. The committee have carefully considered

the whole subject and formed the following

opinions: To maintain the condition of the river, and preserve the improvements made and to be yourselves at home! Accept of such as we always maintain an organized force, and constantly employ one dredge-boat with its necessary appliances. The river is a high-M., at Seventh-Street Christian church, cor- the business required of it, though it is prothan one railway. Freshets are of necessary and sometimes frequent occurrence in our tion Hall, Main street between Eighth and river, and we must always be prepared to remove and repair any damages they may occasion, in order that our commerce may suffer no delay or obstruction. It therefore seems plain to us that while the United States
Regular praction
engineers are perfecting and carrying
of Health, 3. will report at Association Hall, Main street out the additional improvements we have alluded to that it is the duty and to the inbetween Eighth and Ninth, where during the entire day the committee will be in waiting to assign them homes during their stay able those already accomplished. To do this we must keep organized one dredge-boat; and while all of its time and expense would not be required for this purpose alone, we

will take their names at Association Hall. It most desirable. We do not deem it prudent that any poris again urged that those who cannot entertain at their bomes will contribute liberally to tion of the city machinery should be sold, as the fund for entertaining the delegates at we cannot foresee at what time the use of the the existing organization, and keep in use Sarah Jackson was discharged and Nellie Lee desire to honor the memory of the Jewish during this year one dredge-boat for such was locked up for thirty days at the instance heroes of the Lost Cause, a large number of use as your committee may deem most benepersons yesterday visited the Hebrew Ceme- ficial, and that the balance of the machinery tery, where the soldiers' section had, as owned by the city be profitably rented to usual, received bountiful attention from the those who may undertake contracts under the

tadies of the Hebrew Memorial Association. Government appropriation. Only \$8,000 having been appropriated by olding members to those who are in full perintendent of the almshouse, enabled the sented, it will be necessary to appropriate ladies to decorate each grave with a wreath. \$15,000 more to carry out the views we present, and we would suggest that it be done

We have no personal views or objects to marble headstone in proper position, adding gratify; but, endeavoring faithfully to advance the interests of the city, we deem it our duty to urge as strongly as possible the incs. Rising above these barriers you have obligations to Captains Bigger and Epps for views we entertain. The river improvement courtesies extended at the cemetery, and is now beyond eavil and doubt, and has bealso to Mr. Ford for furnishing them an om- come a fixed, demonstrable fact. Three feet additional of water already brought nearly The excellent condition of the soldiers' to our city, and the promise of the engineers section is mainly due to Miss R. C. Levy, that this year will bring it to our wharves, is a startling fact that demands and should who, having accepted the trust, never flags receive the careful thought of every citizen. in her devotion to the sacred task she has Our merchants, millers, and manufacturers undertaken, and each year by personal at- have already felt the benefit of the improvements thus far accomplished, and it remains with you, as their representatives, whether the benefits obtained shall be maintained and can make this season, in consequence of a mates of the penitentiary, all white, were the work continued as we recommend.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING AT DR. HOGE'S CHURCH To NIGHT .- The meeting of Sundayschool workers for the purpose of organizing an Undenominational State Sunday-School Society will be held at Dr. Hoge's church this afternoon at 5 o'clock. Interesting addresses may be expected from delegates to the late International Sunday-School Convention held in Baltimore.

WHITWORTH GUNS .- The two breach-loading Wnitworth guns formerly used on the day afternoon at 6 o'clock. The ladies hav-"You have done something towards this verdict in the case of J. L. Denny for an steamers of the Virginia oyster-navy have ing charge of sections are also expected to have a placed in charge of the Hamiltonian

LOSSES BY FIRE AND THE INSURANCE | THEREON. - Under the direction of the two the city officers for the past fiscal year have been printed and bound in a neat volume. The following extracts are taken from the report of the Chief Engineer of the Fire De-

"The losses by fire during the year amount exceeds that of any year during my service,

" Had it been possible to have escaped this \$36.240, which would have been a very

"The greatest advantage would result if it were possible to get our whole people to exercise more precaution about their own premises to prevent fire. It would astonish you to know the number of business-men in the heart of the city who for a spittoon will use a wooden box filled with sawdust, and the burning stump of a cigar carelessly thrown in may molder for several hours and appropriations have been made by the United | then cause a fire. Many allow ashes to be States Government. Of the money appro- put in wooden boxes and kegs and left in the house. If you remonstrate with these expended in dredges and machinery, of gentlemen, and tell them of the danger, they will say they are insured, and that the inthe question of the proper employment and surance agent undertook the risk with a full knowledge of the facts. They do not stop to consider that they not only endanger their own property, but that of the whole neighborhood. I believe that many fires, the origin of which cannot be accounted for, sometimes attributed to incendiarism, occur from wilful carelessness of the occupants of the houses."

THE CITY JAIL, AGAIN .- L. R. Page, city attorney, yesterday answered, for the members of the Council, the rule issued against commerce which a continuous depth of the Hustings Court; and the court, baving considered the answer, overruled that por-From our repeated reports on the subject tion of it which denied the jurisdiction of two years, under an arrangement made by waiving any objection to the manner in which the answer was presented, continued the United States, the city has been relieved of Jurther hearing of the Council under the said

> PERSONAL.-Governor Kemper has appointed Rev. Dr. J. L. M. Curry a delegate to represent Virginia in the Congress of Geographical Sciences which meets at Paris in a few months.

A bust of Lieutenant-General A. P. Hill has been placed in the State Library. Valentine has completed a bust of General

George Vaughn, who accidentally shot himself Monday morning, is thought to be

DEATH OF MR. R. R. DUVAL .- Mr. R. R. Duval died at his home, in New Kent county, yesterday. Deceased was for many years a prominent druggist of this city, and was to be so widened and improved as to make well known throughout the State. His fune-"This action disclaims any coeffict of aim to be so widened and improved as to make or work. With your more than 900 association and it a permanent improvement, suitable for use this city, this morning at 11 o'clock.

At 1 o'clock A. M. Friday the city are belong the Church by the largest steamers visiting our port.

ILLNESS OF JUDGE ROBERT L. MONTAGUE,-Judge Robert L. Montague left Richmond for his home, in Middlesex county, yester-

CONVICTS RECEIVED .- Two convicts were received at the penitentiary yesterday from Rockbridge county-Bell Robinson (colorour alters of devotion the ascending prayers proven to be eminently applicable to our ed), six years for barn-burning, and John From Chesterfield county William Henry (colored) was received to be confined five years for malicious assault with intent to

MORTUARY REPORT.-The following is the mortuary report for the week ending Saturday, May 22, 1875, compiled from sextons' returns received at the office of the Board of Health: Cause of Death: Casualty by railroad, 1; consumption, 6 (2 white, 4 colored); croup, 1; congenital debility, 1; dropsy, 1; heart-disease, 3; infanticide, 1 marasmus, 4; meningitis, 1; old age, 2; pneumonia, 2; pyæmia, 1; unknown, 2. Whole number of deaths in the city, 26. In addition, 4 still-born were reported (1 white, 3 colored). Sex: Males, 13; females, 13. Color : White males, 5; white females, 3. Colored males, 8; colored females, 10. Age: One day to thirty, 2 white, 1 colored-total, 3; one month to six, 3 colored; six months made, it will be necessary for the city to to twelve, 2 white, 2 colored-total, 4; one year to three, 1 white; five years to ten, 1 white, 1 colored-total, 2; twenty years to thirty, 1 white, 2 colored-total, 3; thirty Meeting for Organization at 12 o'clock road, must be maintained in condition for pears to forty, 2 colored; forty years to fifty 1 colored; fifty years to sixty, 1 colored; sixty years to seventy, 1 white, 3 coloredper for you to remember that it will carry total, 4; seventy years to eighty, 1 colored Second Baptist church, corner Sixth and be maintained for one-third less cost per mile Condition . Single 6 white 10 colored. tal, 16; married, 2 white, 4 colored-total, 6; widowers, 2 colored; widows, 2 colored Nativity: United States, 25; Germany, 1. Locality: Jefferson Ward, 9; Madison Ward, 1; Monroe Ward, 1; Clay Ward, 5; Jackson Ward, 5; almshouse, 5. By whom Certified: Regular practitioners, 21; Coroner, 2; Board

COMPARATIVE WEEKLY MORTALITY. May 24, May 23, May 15, May 22. 1873. 1874. 1875. 1875. W. C. W. C. W. C. W. C. Total deaths...20 18 4 15 10 13 8 18 Still born.... 2 3 0 2 3 1 1 3 Rate of mortality of whole population was

mittee is still desirous of receiving the names can, when not otherwise needed, devote its 18.40 per 1,000 per annum; rate of mortalof citizens who will assist in entertaining service in such assistance towards the permadelegates to the Y. M. C. A. Convention, and nent improvement of the river as may seem per annum; rate of mortality of colored population was 32.62 per 1,000 per annum.

POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY-Police Justice we cannot foresee at what time the use of the whole of it may not be of vast importance to whole of it may not be of vast importance to and Nellie Lee, charged with trespassing the city. Our plan is that the city maintain upon the premises of Dr. Joseph Michard.

Jennie Powers (colored), charged with trespassing upon the premises of and threatening to poison a well of water, the property of John Miller, was discharged.

Wesley Palmer, charged with assaulting and beating Nathaniel Jones, was fined \$2 50. Dr. R. A. Frayser, charged with assaulting and beating James A. Tucker, was fined

D. Sullivan was fined \$5 for assaulting and beating Frank Forgani. Delia Smith, Rebecca Walker, and Hannah Brander, charged with assaulting and beat-

ing Ellen Terry, were fined \$5. The case of George Evans, charged with feloniously assaulting and cutting M. Moran with a knife with intent to kill, was continued until Thursday morning.

GRAND Excursion .- The fine steamer John Sylvester will leave Richmond on Saturday evening. May 29th, at 8 o'clock, for Old Point, Vue de L'Eau, Norfolk, and the capes, and return Monday afternoon, May 31st, thus affording our citizens a pleasant trip without any material loss from business, and at a very low price. As this is the only excursion of the kind which the Sylvester change of schedule, our citizens would do well to avail themselves of this opportunity.

AN IMPORTANT MEETING OF CLEBGYMBN.-We have been requested by one of the Episcopal clergymen of this city to state that all the Episcopal ministers now in town, resident and visiting, will meet in the vestryroom of St. Paul's church this afternoon a 6 o'clock for important business.

THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF HOLLYWOOD MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION will meet in the lecture-room of St. Paul's church on Thurs-

FINE GOLD WEDDING AND ENGAGEMENT AN ADDRESS ON EDUCATION .- The friends RINGS in stock and made to order, any size, by C. GENNET, No. 1001 Main street. of education in many sections of our country branches of the City Council the reports of are aiming to turn the tide of parriotic impulse to be awakened by our centennials and LETTER-HEADS, NOTE-HEADS, BILL-HEADS, ACmemorials into practical channels of utility. COUNTS, SALES, BUSINESS-CARDS, &c., neatly The American Baptist Educational Commis printed at DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE. sion, having its headquarters in New York, and its advisory committees in Richmond GO TO BOSCHEN'S, 509 and 511 Broad street, and other cities, seeks to take advantage of and leave your measure for a first-class pair of boots or shoes, made in any style. Hand-work only.

the proposed celebration of the centennial of American independence to strengthen, confirm, and enlarge the schools of high grade, and the colleges and universities of the country, for the education of males and females Professor J. L. M. Curry, D. D., of Rich mond College, is a prominent officer of this commission. It is known that he expects to depart in a few days on a tour to Europe, Before doing so he proposes to initiate unfortunate fire our loss would have been movement in this State through the plans of the commission, especially in behalf of the institution in which he is a professor. He

proposes to deliver an address this evening at 8 o'clock, in the First Baptist church, on the claims and advantages of general education. It is a favorite theme, in which his pe culiar powers of eloquence are displayed. Other meetings in our city will be largely attended. But this one will no doubt have full audience.

Two concerts, WITH TABLEAUX, Will be given in the Leigh-Street Baptist church or Thursday and Friday nights for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society of that church who are taking care of ninety-five poor children. Some of the best amateur talent of the city will take part in the concerts. The commendable object and good music ought to crowd the house both nights.

Clay-Ward Market-House.

Editors Dispatch: I wish you would go around to the green-grocers in the western part of the city, examine their stock of fish meats, and vegetables, and compare their prices with the prices prevailing at the First and Second Markets, and say if you consider the indifference of our councilmen in regard to the Clay-Ward market-house justifiable, CLAY-WARD TAX PAYER.

### MANCHESTER NEWS.

POSTPONED .- In the Circuit Court yesteray the case of Hildrey Page was called, and continued until Friday; to which time the court adjourned. The grand jury which ndicted him, and the venire of lifty-eight who were summoned, from whom the jury that tried him were selected, will be summoned in the mean time to appear as witnesses to testify with reference to an application for a change of venue.

Longen.-William Henry (colored) was conveyed to the penitentiary yesterday by Serge int Fitzgerald for a term of three years

AT WORK .- Yesterday workmen were busily engaged digging the foundation for the addition to the City Hall, which, when completed, will be occupied by the Alert Fire-Company.

ELECTIONS. - Besides the city election, which takes place to-morrow, the polls will be open in the different precincts throughout

At 1 o'clock A. M. Friday the city comto canvass the returns, and at the same time Saturday the county commissioners will meet at the court-house for a like purpose.

THE HATCHER WILL-CASE was called in the Circuit Court yesterday, but no definite action taken in regard to the trial. It is probable that Judge Weisiger will hold a special term in June to dispose of it.

DELEGATES TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONVEN-TION should not fall during their stay in our city to visit Pizzini's establishment, on Broad street, where they will find the purest Ice-cream and water-ices, as well as every delicacy that heart can wish for.

THE FIRST THING to be considered in buying a collar is the fit. The Elmwood and Warwick fit better than any others. SUMMER GAUZE SHIRTS for 75c. and \$1 at

Hear Sir.—I write you this note to inform you of the effect of your "Blood-Purifice" upon my system. When I commenced taking it, a year ago, I was very much debil lated. My numbs were swollen so that it was impossible for me to get into or out from a carriage, and very painful to go up or down stairs. Indeed, I could scarcely stand on my feet. My appetite was gone, my strength falling rapidly. After using your medicine for a few weeks I began to improve. My appetite improved and it y strength returned. I can now perform my outless as a nurse with my wonted case; and I feel I owe it to VEGETINE. Yours, gratefully,

Mrs. C. A. H. TILDEN. HENRY MILLER'S Gentlemen's Furnishing-House. STRIPED AND CHECKED SUMMER SILKS, also

FIN, STAPLES & Co., bankers and real estate agents, No. 11 Tenth street. GREAT BARGAINS IN TOWELS at LEVY BRO-

PASTRY AND PIES .- PIZZINI will supply all with his Pastry and Pies who propose entertaining delegates to the Convention. Housekeepers will save themselves a great deal of trouble by ordering from

FRESH STRAWBERRIES at PIZZINI'S.

EVERY NEW STYLE OF PARASOL AND SUN-UM-BRELLA to be had very low at LEVY BROTHERS'. HOUSEKEEPERS who desire PIZZINI to furnish

them with his pure Ice-Creams during the sessions of the Young Men's International Convention should leave their orders at once.

NEW DRESS GOODS just received at LEVY BRO-MERCHANT TAILORS .- E. B. SPENCE & SON

merchant tailors, have a very large and varied assortnent of FRENCH and ENGLISH WORSTED DIAGO-NAL COATINGS and FANCY CASSIMERES of all the new patterns, and are prepared to MAKE CLOTHING TO ORDER in the latest and best styles at low prices. Call at 1300 Main street and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere.

IF YOU WANT A BLACK GRENADINE OF a Black Silk you can save money by buying them at LEVY BROTHERS'.

DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE .- In order to meet he constantly increasing demands of our trade we have added a well-selected assortment of NEW TYPE, which, together with our IMPZOVED MA-CHINERY and SKILFUL MECHANICAL TALENT, warrant us in guaranteeing the VERY BEST CLASS OF WORK at moderate figures and in the most expeditious manner.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF NEW SUITS, in various colors, and at attractive prices, at LEVY BRO-THERS'. IS YOUR LIFE WORTH TEN CENTS ?- We say

plainly no person in this world suffering with dyspepsia, liver complaint and its effects-indigestion, costiveness, sick headache, sour stomach, heartburn, palpitation of the heart, depressed spirits, billousness-can take GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER without relief and cure If you doubt this, get a sample bottle for 10 cents. Try it. Two doses will relieve you. PURCELL, LADD & Co., agents.

THE BEST SILKS for the least money are to b had at LEVY BROTHERS. COMMISSION MERCHANTS .- We solicit your or-

ders for printing, or a call at any time you may wish to see specimens or obtain estimates, feeling assured that it will be to your advantage. THE VISITOR'S GUIDE TO RICHMOND AND VI-

CINITY .- A hand-book of the city which should be in the hands of every stranger visiting us. For sale by J. T. FLLYSON, 1112 Main street. Price, 25c. DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE .- Unsurpassed facilities for the prompt execution of all kinds of

printing. Orders filled promptly and at low prices .

HENRY T. MILLER has just received another large lot of those fine WHITE and FANCY DUCK VESTS made expressly for him by Messrs. Devlin & Co., at

SAVE MONEY by having your printing done at the DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE. Good work, low prices, and satisfaction guaranteed.

NEW GOODS .- Ladles' Gold Hunting-Watches at \$30, \$40, and upwards to \$125; Gentlemen's Gold Hunting-Watches at \$75, \$100 to \$200, and upwards; Ladles' Leentines, Opera-Chains, and Necklaces; Amethyst Rings, Aqua Marine Rings, Oriental Topaz Rings, Gold and Pearl Glove-Hooks, at C. GENNET'S.

ELECTION TICKETS printed at DISPATCH, PRINT-ING-HOUSE at low rates.

THE DISPATCH.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING: CASH-INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE

A Dangerous Fall\_Heavy Rain. [Special telegram to the Dispatch.]

LYNCHBURG, May 25 .- Richard Oliver, a brick-mason, employed on some new buildings in course of erection on Bridge street,

A heavy rain coming from the north commenced falling at 7 P. M. and still con-

France. Paris, May 25.—The Assembly to-day elected thirteen members of the new committee of thirty. All belong to parties which . support the present constitution. The seventeen other members remain to be elected by second ballot, as none of the candidates received an absolute majority. Among the candidates are M. Gambetta and two Deputies of the Right. No Bonapartists offered

Belgium. BRUSSELS, May 25 .- The Senate has unanimously adopted a vote of confidence in the Government in respect to its conduct of the

correspondence with Germany. . The Ministry has given notice that it will introduce a bill providing for the punishment of offences similar to that of Duchesne.

ministration of church property. Presbyterian General Assembly South Sr. Louis, May 25 .-- In the Presbyterian General Assembly to-day the special committee to whom was referred the matter of friendly relations between the Northern and Southern Churches reported that, while they greatly regretted that the conference at Baltimore last January was unsuccessful in

Presbyterian General Assembly North CLEVELAND, O., May 25 .- In the Presbyerian General Assembly an unsuccessful ef-

Military Going to Bunker Hill. CHARLESTON, S. C., May 25. - A detachment of the Washington Light Infantry, under command of Lieutenant Gilchrist, carrying Colonel William Washington's flag which waived at Eutaw and Cowpens, will sail for

Bunker Hill on the 12th of June to attend the centennial. Colonel Simons and several prominent citizens of Charleston will acthe menses are almost always either suspended or very partially performed. The bile is scanty, and costiveness, with unhealthy evacuations from the low-is and dyspeptic state of the stomach, are ex-tremely common symptoms. company the detachment. Weather Report. Washington, May 25 .- For the South and Middle Atlantic States, stationary or rising

> Railroad Matters. ATLANTA, GA., May 25 .- Justice Bradley and District Judge Erskine refused to epjoin the sale of the Macon and Brunswick railroad, or to appoint a receiver, as petitloned

The Burning Woods, MAUCH CHUNK, PA., May 25 .- Eight hours

Smuggler's Estate Seized. NEW YORK, May 25 .- The real estate of Lawrence the alleged silk-smuggler, amounting to \$125,000, has been seized.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., May 24 .-- Hon. John Vail, formerly a member of Congress and

Various Items.

Adolph Philbert is French consul at Charleston.

A vinegar establishment with complete Louis. They are discharging gaugers and arresting tradesmen everywhere.

The Secretary of the Treasury decides that tobacco exported from Petersburg, Va., when the tax was twenty cents, and imported when the tax is twenty-four cents, must pay the tax current upon its return.

## WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c.

T PROPOSE TO OFFER EXTRA IN-DUCEMENTS to purchasers of DIAMONDS, LADIES' and GENTLEMEN'S GOLD WATCHES, CHAINS, RINGS, BUTTONS, SETSOF BREAST-PIN and EAR, RINGS, BRACELETS, &c. Also, a few SILVER WATCHES. These articles will be sold for much less than their original cost at S. A. WINSTOCK'S Loan office, my 26-1m

BUSINESS CHANCES. FOR SALE, a GOOD GROCERY BUSI-Mrss. Stock low. Apply to H. G., my 26-21\* Post-office, Richmond, Va.

MILLINERY. OF SUMMER STYLES. OPENING

MIS. M. WALTON,
433 Broad street, has just received and will display
ON SATURDAY,
May 29th, all the latest patients and novelties in
LADIES' and MISSES' HATS,
ENGLISH WALKING HATS;
YORKSHIRE and DERBY, in Leghorn, Chip, and
Straw

Straw.
All the new and desirable shades in SILKS, RIBBONS, and Also, a lot of CHEAP HATS, suitable for travel-my 25-5t

T. WORTHAM & CO. and of the individual members of said firm whose debts were contracted prior to the 16TH OF DECEMBER, 1872, are hereby notified that I shall on JUNE 3, 1875, at 10 A. M., proceed to take proof of such debts; and all such creditors are warned against delaying to present their demands. I am acting under a decree of the Chancery Court of Richmond in the suit of "Hawes. &c., vs. Williams and Blackwell, Dustees, &c."

WILLIAM J. LEAKE,
Commissioner,

No. 1103 Main street. my 26-eod4t JOHN L. WEATHERFORD.

INDEPENDENT DETECTIVES, offer their services to the public for the

committed on railroads, banks, insurance companies, or private citizens. Will attend to business in any part of the country. Business strictly count-dential. Will pay liberally for information.

Reference, by permission, to Hon. A. M. Keitey.
Mayor; Judge John A. Meredith, President Board
of Aldermen; General Bradley T. Johnson, President Common Council; Joseph J. White, Esq.,
Police Justice; Major John Poe, Jr., Chief of Police; A. G. Babcock, Chairman Council Committee
on Police; George D. Wise, ex-Commonwealth's
Attorney, Hustings Court; E. Carrington Cabelf,
Commonwealth's Attorney, Hustings Court; Dr.
C. W. P. Brock, Police Surgeon; E. B. took, City
Sergeant.

Sergeant. W OOD'S REAPER.—Sold for no fault, the owner discontinuing farming; is nearly new, having respect only one small crop. A liberal discount made on the price of new machines. Apply to Plough Manufactures.

MR. R. M. POWERS HAS JUST with a superior lot of SADDLE - and HARNES-HORSES. Call and see them.

We keep HACKS, BUGGIES, and HORSES for hire, first-class. We also have SECOND-HAND BUGGIES for sale. P. H. STARKE,
Plough Manufacturer
Main between Fourteenth and Fifteenth street
my 24-cod3t\* VISITING CARDS, 50c. to \$1 for 50, at the DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE.

RY COWARDIN & ELLYSON.

## WEEKLY DISPATCH at \$2 per annum.

has been sometimes like the heathen devotee, THE WESTER TO-DAY .- The probabilities paralyzed.

WESTERDAY WAS WARM, cloudy, and carry during the day, with

LOCAL MATTERS.

TRENTH TH ANNUAL CONVENTION. This gathering in Richmond to-day of dis d Christian werkers from all parts h America is an event of no ordinary clion and every evangelical creed, of men who grace every profesdevery walk of lite, the Convention a not to promote commerce, the er or interature -- not to engage in emissions of political differences, or

they may engage in a common

i in Montreal in 1851, and was folthe organization, the same year, of in Boston, Cincinnati, Buffalo,

mies, and many of the associations were

rations to the suffering of Richmond; and right nodid they carry out their resolution.

or in the South, though it is now hapa law the Executive Committee was located in New York, the publication of a parterly paper was ordered, and the holdtate conventions recommended. In 60 Mr. Richard C. Morse was appointed neral secretary, and has proven a most laof efficient officer. H. Thane Milr, of Cincinnati (the eloquent blind layman), George A. Hall, of Washington, and other efficient workmen, have assisted him in

steady and in the highest degree gratifying. The Executive Committee were able to say in their report last year: "When the committee was appointed we of few are on the roll. Then a single build-

be even more encouraging. There are now over one hundred thousand

BELATION OF THE Y. M. C. A.'S TO THE

At Detroit in 1868, and again at Portland 1869, this convention adopted what is own as the " Evangelical Church test," the effect of which is that no local associa- The quantity of flowers was unexpected, then can be represented in this body unless and not a grave was overlooked. A load of you out of the current revenues of the city its constitution limits its voting and office- evergreens turnished by Captain Bigger, su- before the facts now developed were pre-The effect produced by the handsome non to the churches were so well presented bronzed railing, the evergreens, and floral by the further issue of \$15,000 of James

ised in the augher atmosphere of Christian You have sought to mingle the fer-West and progressive Methodist, the decided and yet catholic Baptist, the free and yet Forerned Congregationalist, children of the Pundans, the churchly Episcopalian, who, while holding to the direct line of apostolic succession, gives this Christian commentary on the idea, those who have the faith of Cerist are of the succession; the Presbyte-Tion, who believes in the sovereignty of God, the tree will of man, and perseverance to faith and work to reach the results of these. Is it a singular mixture? They belong to before Judge Wellford yesterday (E. Cargether. We need-the Church needs-these rington Cabell, E-q., prosecuting attorney,) elements, and when united we can say 'we to be tried for escaping therefrom while servbelieve in the Holy Catholic Church, the ing terms. In the case of Jennie Beatty, communion of saints,' and, 'speaking the commonly called "Irish Jennie," for an truth in love, may grow up into Him in all escape, a nolle prosequi was entered. In the things which is in the Head, even Christ; ease of James Brady, for cutting and infrom whom the whole body fitly joined to- juring the roof of his cell in order to escape, gether and compacted by that which every a similar order was entered. In the case of Joint supplieth, according to the effectual Patrick McDarmot, for the same offence, the working in the measure of every part, jury found the prisoner not guilty. In the

result. It was in your beautiful and com-lescape,

FLECTION TICKETS .- Send your orders for elec

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

LYNE & BROTHER. 5 P. M., house and lot of St. Stephen street, in Jackson's addition.

EDWARD C. GODDIN. 4 P. M., framed dwelling and large lot on Twenty-seventh street between

L. APPERSON, 12 M., small farm near Rich

L. APPERSON, 5% P. M., two building lots of the north side of Cary near Madison street.

COOK & LAUGHTON, 10% A. M., at residence o Andrew Washburn, corner of Sixth and Frank lin streets, furniture, carpets, parlor organ, &c

RICHARDSON & CO. 5 P. M., real estate corner of Fourth and Leigh and on Moore street near Bacon's Quarter branch.

GRUBES & WILLIAMS, 1 o'clock P. M., brick store, or warehouse, on the south side of Cary between Thirteenth and Virginia streets.

FRANK D. HILL, 5 P. M., suburban residence with eight acres of land, on Main street, in Sid

PAINF, CABELL & CO., 10% A. M., a variety of fresh and seasonable goods suited to the spring trade, such as dry goods, boots, shoes, hats, &c.

VEGETINE.

GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE

AND

HEALTH-RESTORER.

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MARVELLOUS EFFECT.

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Hear sir,-I write you this note to inform you o

A PERFECT CURE.

Dear Sir,-This Is to certify that VEGETINE mad

perfect cure of me when my attending physician aid pronounced my case consumption and said I ould not survive many days.

Mrs. Ledston, 35 Cook street.

The facts stated by Mrs. Ledston are personally

The facts stated by and they are true.

A. D. HAYNES.

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VEGETINE

FOR TEN TIMES ITS COST.

The great benefit I have received from the use of

VEGETINE induces me to give my testimony in its favor. I believe it to be not only of great value for restoring the health, but a preventive of diseases

I would not be without it for ten times its cost Attorney and General Agent for Massachusetts of the Craftmen's Life Assurance Company, No. 49 Sears building, Boston, Mass.

VEGETINE IS SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

[my 26-W&S2t]

LOST, STRAYED, AND FOUND.

OST, ON BROAD BETWEEN

Fourth and Seventh streets, a baby's LACE CAP, lined with blue silk. The finder will be lib-

BRACELET LOST.—A narrow, plain band BRACELET lost on Main between Tenth and Twelfth streets. A reward will be paid if returned to NOWLAN & CO., Jewellers.

CAME TO MY PLACE, ON THE Collision of the Chesapeake and the Olio Railroad shops, a small RED COW; one horn larger than the other; white under her belly. The owner will please call, pay charges, and take her away.

my 26-1t\*

Stall No. 12 Old Market.

STRAYED, FROM FOURTH BEtween Jackson and Duval streets, on Sunday afternoon, May 23d, one ROAN BUFFALO
COW. Will bave a calf in ten or fifteen days. A
suitable reward will be paid for her return to us.
ANDERSON & JOHNSON,
Basin bank.

ESTRAY.—Came to my house on Saturday last a SMALL RED-AND-WHITE BUFFALO COW, which the owner can get by paying charges.

get by paying charges. MRS. FRANK, my 26-31\* Mechanicsville turnpike.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND DIREC

TO THE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTORS OF THE RICHMOND AND HENRICO TURNPIKE COMPANY AND ALL OTHERS CONCERNED.—Take notice, I shall, on the 7th day of June, make application to the Richmond and Henrico Turnpike Company for a renewal of a certificate for FIVE SHARES OF STOCK in said company standing in the name of CHARLES M. WALLAUE, affidavit having been made of the loss of said certificate.

WILLIAM B. MATTHEWS,

Assignee of A. L. Boulware, assignee in backruptcy

Assignee of A. L. Boulware, assignee in backrupter of C. M. Wallace, bankrupt, my 25-2tawid

LOST, ON SUNDAY NIGHT, between Third and Grace streets and the Second Baptist church, a pair of GOLD SPECIACLES in a case. A liberal reward will be paid if the spectacles are left at this office.

my 25-3t\*

MULES, HORSES, &c.

KENTUCKY STABLES.-JUST received from Kentucky TWENTY. FIVE HEAD NICE DRIVE- and WORK-HORSES. Also, good broke MULES. For sale at low prices. ODENHEIMER BROTHERS, 13 and 15 Fifteenth street, my 20-1w\* between Main and Franklin.

my 25-3t\*

TURNER & CO.

rally rewarded by leaving it at the store

cultar to the spring and summer seaso

Mr. H. R. Stevens:

CHARLESTOWN, June 11, 1861.

LEBANON, N. H., January 29, 1870.

VEGETINE

tion tickets to DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE.

BY TELEGRAPH.

fell from the scaffold to-day and received serious injuries.

Latest Foreign News.

themselves for places on the committee.

Prussia. Berlin, May 25 .- The Upper House of the

Prussian Diet has passed a bill for the sup-

pression of convents and relative to the ad-

bringing the two great bodies together in friendly and cordial relations, they heartily endorse the position of their committee as the only one they could have taken under the circumstances.

Debility is a term used to denote deficiency of blood. The nutritive constituents of the blood are in less than their regular proportion, while the watery part is in excess. Debility is of frequent occurrence. It is locident to a variety of diseases. The lower limbs are apt to be swollen. The patient is feeble and cannot bear much exertion. The patient violent motion often throws the heart into the most tumultuous action. The vital functions are languidly performed. The muscular strength is diminished; fatigne follows moderate or slight exercise. The brathing, though quiet when at rest, becomes harried and even paintally agitated under exertion, as in running, ascending heights, &c. The nervous system is often greatly disordered. Vertigo, cizziness, and a feeling of faintness are very common. Violent and obstinate neuralgle pains in the head side, breast, or other parts of the body, are also frequent attendants upon the disease. The secretions are sometimes diminished. In females the meanses are almost always either suspended or very very vertially, nerformed. The bile is scanty, and fort was made to have the action of the Assembly on the report of the Conference Committee with the Presbyterian Church

barometer, cooler north and west winds, and generally clear weather. Dear Sir,—I have used Vegetine, and feelila duty to acknowledge the great benefit it has done me. In the spring of the year 1862 I was sick from general deblifty, caused by overwork, want of sleep, and proper rest. I was very weak and much enaciated. I tried many lemedles without receiving any benefit from any of them until I was persuaded to try Vegetine. Before I had taken this one week my improved condition gave me renewed hope and courage. I continued to take it every day, gaining more strength until I was completely restored to health. The effect of this remedy in the case of general debility is indeed marvellous.

ELIZABETH A. FOLEY, Dear Sir .- I have used VEGETINE, and feel it a For the Gulf States, Tennessee, and the Obio Valley, stationary followed by falling barometer, increasing southerly winds, cooler, cloudy weather, and possibly light

for by John P. Branch, of Virginia. of rain has quenched the mountain fires throughout this region.

consul to Glasgow, is dead.

Accountants claim that the new newspaper-postage law decreases the revenue 50 per cent. distilling apparatus has been seized in St.

NOTICE.—The creditors of CHARLES

RICHMOND DETECTIVE AGENCY.

DETECTION OF CRIMES

OFFICE, NO. 9 ELEVENTH STREET,